

MAIL TRAINS TO BE STARTED OUT

Otherwise the Georgia Railroad Will Not Be Able to Do Business.

MORE ARBITRATION TALK

RACE QUESTION WILL CUT A FIGURE IN SETTLEMENT.

Atlanta, Ga., May 27.—Twelve Georgia railroad trains, carrying mail only, will be started out tomorrow. This means of relieving the congestion at the postoffice was decided upon today following an order by the striking firemen to feed the engines on such trains. It is believed that this may possibly be the beginning of a settlement of the strike.

The fate of the arbitration proposition is known tomorrow. It is said that Labor Commissioner Nell has notified the railroad authorities that they must decide at once whether they will accept arbitration.

The Race Question.

The race question today squarely stood blocking the negotiations for arbitration. General Manager Scott brought this proposition to the front, it is said, by declaring that before he could consent to arbitration there should be some assurance that negro firemen who have worked faithfully for the road for years would not be forced to leave the railroad. The firemen were reported to be willing to make concessions in favor of the negroes, provided they could obtain an arrangement by which negro firemen would not stand in the way of young white men wishing to work up to the position of engineer, a rank never attained on the Georgia railroad by negroes.

Mr. Ball gave out a statement today that he would permit regular firemen to accept arbitration as applied to the strike, and said:

"The position of the officials in preferring to maintain negro seniority is simply a question of dollars and cents, for they pay negro firemen about \$1 per day less than the white firemen."

No Interference With Mails.

Washington, May 27.—Second Assistant Postmaster General Stewart today received a telegram regarding the strike situation on the Georgia railroad from Vice President Ball of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, who is conducting the strike.

"It is currently reported," he telegraphed, "that an effort is being made to charge the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Engineers with responsibility for interference with United States mails on the Georgia railroad. So far from this being true, we stand prepared to assist you in getting the mails through. I should be glad to confer with any representative of the postoffice department designated by you (the postmaster general) to aid in accomplishing this result."

The latter suggestion will be taken up with Postmaster General Hitchcock, who returned today from a trip to Cuba for the benefit of his health.

CONTRACT AWARDED.

Helena, Montana, to Have Catholic College Costing \$200,000.

Helena, Mont., May 27.—C. T. Gunn of New York was tonight awarded the contract for the erection here of the new Catholic college. This action was taken at a meeting of Bishop John P. Carroll's advisory building. Mr. Gunn is the resident supervising engineer in charge of the building of the new Catholic high school and cathedral. The college, which will cost approximately \$200,000, will be constructed of Montana material throughout, the stone facings being of red porphyry. The building will be in the Gothic style, will be equipped with the most modern systems of plumbing and heating, and will have a frontage of 150 feet, with a depth of 32 feet. A. and O. von Herbulst drew up the plans. Work will begin immediately.

BUSH FIRES RAGING.

Winthrop, Montana, May 27.—Bush fires are raging near Artikokan, and the mine center near Rainy Lake, close to the United States boundary. The smoke reaches Fort Peck. Bushy fire also reported a few miles from International Falls.

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Utah Racing Specials

From Provo and stations north on the Salt Lake Route, Wednesday 28, for Utah Valley Speed Purse, and Saturday for Decoration Day \$1,000 Handicap. Special each day leaves Provo 10:30 a. m., returning leaves Salt Lake 8:30 p. m. Round trip Provo \$1.25. Rates and time from other stations on small bills.

Commercial View Work. Salt Lake

Photo Supply Co., 142 Main street.

Cleanup of the Lewis stock

Up to \$5.00 values

\$1.00

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Davis

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Ogden News

Office—410 Twenty-fifth Street.
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Ogden, Friday, May 28.

OGDEN SLATER TAKES OWN LIFE

Old Resident of Slaterville Ends His Woes With a Piece of Half Inch Rope.

Hanging by a rope suspended from a rafter in the barn Richard Slater, an old and respected resident of Slaterville, of this county, was found yesterday afternoon by members of his family. Despondency and ill health, due to his continued brooding over family troubles, are said to be the cause of the suicide. He used a half-inch rope and after fastening one end to a rafter in the hay loft and the other around his neck with a slip noose, he dropped from the gable window of the barn. When found the body was cold and it is supposed the act was committed several hours before it was discovered. The last time Slater was seen alive was shortly after 9 o'clock.

About a year ago Slater's wife secured a divorce and since that time he has appeared very despondent. The members of his family stated that for more than six months past he had acted strangely at times and believe his mind was affected. Sheriff Wilson and Deputy Sheriff Hutchins, accompanied by Undertaker Richey, went to Slaterville as soon as the hanging was reported here. Upon investigation the officers found that it was a clear case of suicide and an inquest would not be necessary. The body was removed to Richey's undertaking parlors, where it will be held pending funeral arrangements.

Mr. Slater, who was about 60 years of age and well to do, was a member of the family that founded Slaterville. He is survived by several brothers and sisters, among whom are James and Thomas Slater of Slaterville and Mrs. A. S. Condon of Ogden. He also leaves two sons and a daughter, the latter being a student in the High school.

EPISCOPAL CONVOCATION TO BE HELD NEXT WEEK

Arrangements are being made for the holding of the second Episcopal convocation of the district of Utah at the Church of the Good Shepherd of this city June 2, 3 and 4. The members of the local church are making preparations for more than 200 of the visitors and the program for the three days.

Rev. W. W. Fleetwood, rector of the Church of the Good Shepherd, stated yesterday that the sessions will be open to the public and special attention is called to the entertainment of the visitors. The morning at 11 o'clock, a missionary meeting will be held Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. At 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon there will be a meeting of the Women's auxiliary.

Bishop Spaulding of Salt Lake City will preside at all sessions and all the clergy of the district are expected to be present as well as lay representatives from the various parishes and missions.

The program for the three days' session will be as follows:

Wednesday, June 2.

9 a. m.—Morning prayer.

11 a. m.—Holy communion and ordination to the priesthood of M. J. Hersey, deacon.

Preacher, the Bishop-elect of Western Colorado, Rev. Benjamin Brewster.

12:30 p. m.—Organization and appointment of committees. Luncheon.

2 p. m.—Bishop's address.

3 p. m.—Reports from institutions, S. M.—Missionary meeting.

"New Settlements and Indians," Rev. D. K. Johnston.

"Work for Students," Rev. Paul Jones.

"Self-help in Utah," Rev. C. E. Perkins.

"The Missionary Motive," Rev. M. W. Rice.

Thursday, June 3.

9 a. m.—Morning prayer.

10 a. m.—Business and elections.

KUNTZ WILL FIGHT FOR HIS FREEDOM

Henry Kuntz, who was recently extradited from Idaho, was arraigned in the police court before Judge Murphy yesterday for his preliminary hearing. The man is charged with the robbery of the ward choir with solos by Mrs. Mary Farley, Mrs. Leech and Miss Tilly Hancock. The speakers were C. S. Middlecott, John Larkin, John Chambers, Hyrum Behn and Bishop Olson. Interment was in City cemetery.

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Saltair. Join the crowds. Greatest display ever shown in the state. Round trip 25c.

GREAT DAMAGE DONE BY CROPS

Wind, Rain and Hailstorms in Several of the Southern States.

TOWNS PARTLY FLOODED

FAMILIES CAMPING ON ROOFS OF THEIR HOUSES.

Memphis, Tenn., May 27.—Recent wind and rainstorms have done tremendous damage throughout Mississippi and Arkansas. The Arkansas river is out of its banks and other streams are rapidly approaching the danger mark. Yesterday a tornado passed over northern Mississippi. No deaths have been reported, but many houses were wrecked. Many towns are partly under water and families are camping on the roofs of their houses. Great damage has been done to railroads, telegraph and telephone lines.

Floods in Alabama.

Mobile, Ala., May 27.—Practically every river and creek in lower Alabama and Mississippi are at flood stage, resulting in practically drowning out all the low-land crops, the destruction of many cattle and the loss of timber.

Rains were heavy in Clarke, Wayne, Green and Jackson counties, Mississippi, and Monroe, Choctaw and Washington counties, Alabama. In many of these counties the rains were followed by hailstorms, causing the growing crops and even damaging buildings.

The Mobile & Ohio railroad has suffered a serious interruption of traffic. It has been necessary to operate trains of this road out of Mobile over the Louisville & Nashville, owing to washouts on the Mobile & Ohio in Clarke and Wayne counties, Mississippi.

Reports received here from Shubuta, Miss., that the town is being cut off by island, being cut off from the outside world, except by telephone and telegraph.

ARGUMENT ENDED.

Jury Deliberating on the Case of "Skinny" Madden and Others.

Chicago, May 27.—After hearing State Attorney Wayman vigorously attack Madden, Pouchot and Boyle, labor leaders, charged with "grafting," the jury retired late today to consider its verdict. The state's attorney declared he was fighting, not against unionized labor, but for it.

"Thousands of respectable union men in this country are behind me in this fight," he declared. "The wives and children who have felt the bitter pangs of hunger because of Madden's grafting strikes are with the prosecution."

Attorney Brady, for the defense, in his argument declared that the jury was not to be misled by the state's attorney's conclusion that the Joseph Kileka company had paid \$1,000 to George S. Andres to settle the strike at the Kileka plant, but insisted the money never reached Madden.

It was announced late tonight that the jury so far had failed to agree on a verdict. During the evening twenty-five policemen appeared at the criminal court building and cleared every floor. Many friends of Madden were taken to a verdict. They were not allowed to walk down stairs even, being held into elevators.

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state and talk incoherently about being injured in the head while employed in Texas.

There appears to be certain periods in the man's life that are absolutely blank and he has no recollection whatever of what transpired in that period. It is very probable that the friends of the man living in Salt Lake City will have him removed to that city, where they can attend him until he recovers.

PURSUIT RACE ARRANGED.

Judge Howell and Bill Glasmann to Chase Each Other.

At a joint meeting of the Ogden Automobile club and the Good Roads association of Weber county held at the Weber club last evening, plans were made for the consolidation of the organizations to work for the betterment of the public roads and highways in Weber as well as other counties of the state.

The meeting was very largely attended and presided over by Judge J. A. Howell.

The final program for the automobile tournament at the fair grounds next Monday afternoon were discussed. It was decided to hold a pursuit race at 2 o'clock and the races immediately afterwards. One of the feature events for the afternoon is an Australian pursuit race between Judge Howell and William Glasmann, both men to drive their own cars.

Burial of Thomas H. Brown.

The funeral services over the body of Thomas H. Brown were held at the Fourth ward meeting house yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Bishop G. A. Olson presided over the services, which were the ward choir with solos by Mrs. Mary Farley, Mrs. Leech and Miss Tilly Hancock. The speakers were C. S. Middlecott, John Larkin, John Chambers, Hyrum Behn and Bishop Olson. Interment was in City cemetery.

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Shidzuoka, Japan,

May 25, 1909.

Bought cream of crop Tea.

FRANK J. HEWLETT.

The above cablegram just received from Japan.

Shidzuoka is the center of the tea growing district, and Mr. Hewlett was right on the spot and got the FIRST choice of the FIRST picking of Uncolored Japan Tea.

Los Angeles, May 27.—The scores of sleuths who have been on the trail of the brutal murderer of Annie Poltera, the 9-year-old schoolgirl who was outraged and killed in Griffith park on May 17, apparently are today no nearer a solution of the mystery than when the hunt began.

Whether Ben Elliott, the 18-year-old boy now in the county jail, and against whom suspicion has been most strongly directed, knows anything of the murder or not is undetermined. Many detectives are satisfied that Elliott knows nothing about the crime. Others are convinced that further revelations will involve him. At least he is the only man now in custody at whom the finger of suspicion seems to point.

Elliott had his preliminary hearing on the charge of burglary today. He admitted that he entered the store of a merchant in Tropic four times and took an amount of food and some other articles of small value. He tells what apparently is a frank and full story and asserts positively that he never saw Annie Poltera or knew of the murder until he read of it in the newspapers.

Sheriff Hammill is convinced that Elliott is innocent of the crime. The sheriff today took the bloody and torn shirt found yesterday to Mrs. Bennett in Tropic, at whose home Elliott lived, and after examining it closely she said that the man never owned such a shirt. The hairs found at the scene of the crime do not fit Elliott's description.

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ARREST ENDS A ROMANCE

Honolulu, May 27.—R. M. Baker, who was arrested here last Monday on a charge of bigamy on cable instructions from the United States marshal at Chicago, confessed to guilt today.

His latest wife, however, whom he married here on May 11, and whose name at the time was Mrs. Eva B. Wallace, remains steadfast, declaring that her faith in Baker is unshaken by his arrest.

A romance of the tropical seas underlies this second marriage of Baker, who is believed to be the son of Charles W. Baker, secretary of the Chicago Live Stock exchange. Baker arrived in Honolulu from San Francisco about May 11 on the steamship Alameda. One of his fellow travelers on the Alameda was Mrs. Wallace, a San Francisco woman, en route to Honolulu to marry Charles Howard, a former San Francisco resident of the Hawaiian capital. It appears that the moonlight nights on the southern seas, coupled with the proximity of Baker, proved too much for Mrs. Wallace's constancy to Howard, and the result was that when the good ship arrived at Honolulu Howard found himself minus his expected bride, Mrs. Wallace having transferred her affections to Baker.

Baker, it is charged, has another wife and a child in Chicago.

REBUKED THE SENATORS.

Vice President Called Attention to the Senate Rules.

Washington, May 27.—That senators should address one another in the third person, as "the senator from so and so," and not descend to personal pronouns and speak of one another in the second person, was called to the attention of the senate today by Vice President Sherman.

A colloquy between Senators Cummins of Iowa and Smith of Michigan gave rise to this suggestion by the vice president.

"I will be pardoned on account of my inexperience," said Mr. Cummins, "but the senator from Michigan is inexcusable."

Senator Bacon interposed to say the suggestion was timely and called attention to authorities that said the pronoun "you" can be used only when referring to the senate as a body or when addressing the presiding officer. He hoped that senators would be careful to observe this rule, as he regarded it as a "safeguard against aspersions."

TWENTY YEARS IN PRISON.

Vancouver, B. C., May 27.—Clive and Bill Newman, hold-up men, were sentenced last night at Greenwood, B. C., to twenty years in the penitentiary for having held up and robbed the Great Northern express at Bridgeville, B. C., last December. The men committed the crime in company with Ben Hart, who turned state's evidence and who was allowed his freedom.

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Excursion to Ogden.

Sunday, May 30, via Oregon Short Line. Round trip \$1. Trains at 7:10, 9:00 and 11:00 a. m., and 2:25 and 4:00 p. m. Returning, leave Ogden at 4:45 a. m. and 1:05, 4:45 and 8:10 p. m.

Will Not Rain Tomorrow.

Go to Saltair. Pain's fireworks, ship restaurant, other attractions. Round trip 25c.

Saltair Opening Tomorrow.

Everybody's going. Yes, you are. Pain's fireworks, ship restaurant. Round trip 25c.

Friday Surprise Sales

Values listed in this ad proclaim with striking emphasis the power of this store as a money-saving medium for careful buyers

ESTABLISHED 1864

SHOES

Children's black kid shoes, lace or button, sizes 5 to 8. Special at a pair—

\$1.00 ONE PRICE TO ALL NEVER UNDERSOLD **\$1.20**

This Morning From 8 to 12 O'Clock

8 1-3c

Apron Gingham

In all the staple blue and white checks. Limit 12 yards to a customer, at—

5 1/2c a yard

This Morning from 8 to 12 O'Clock

150 Pieces

White English Long Cloth

36 inches wide, 12 yards in each bolt; the kind you pay \$1.50 for elsewhere. Limit 1 bolt to a customer, at—

98c a bolt

This Morning from 8 to 12 O'Clock

1,000 yards Bleached

Pillow Case Muslins

42 inches wide, an excellent quality at 12c. Limit 19 yards to a customer, at—

8 1/2c a yard

This Morning from 8 to 12 O'Clock

500 Dozen

Bleached Cotton Towels

Hemmed, size 12x23, a leader at 5c. 1 dozen to a customer, at—

3 1/2c a yard

This Morning from 8 to 12 O'Clock

Boys' Wash Suits Sale

Russian and Sailor Blouse Styles.

75c values, special at—

45c

\$1.00 values, special at—

69c

\$1.50 values, special at—

98c

This Morning from 8 to 12 O'Clock

Today—\$6.00 Flounced Battenberg Bed Sets at \$2.98

Flounced white Battenberg bed sets, made of fine quality net with real Battenberg medallion centerpiece. Battenberg interlocking and edging, with bolster roll to match. Value \$6.00.

Special at a set—

\$2.98

Today

Trimmed Hats at \$9.75

Only 200 hats, but each hat a gem and a bargain, because the original prices up to this sale have been \$18.00 and \$15.00. You'll be fortunate to get one of these fine and stylish hats.

Today at \$9.75

Today

Toilet Soaps, 3 Bars for 10c

"Auerbach's Special," glycerine